

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
MIAMI DIVISION  
Case No.: 17-cv-60426-UU**

ALEKSEJ GUBAREV, XBT HOLDING S.A.,  
AND WEBZILLA, INC.

Plaintiffs,

vs.

BUZZFEED, INC. AND BEN SMITH,

Defendants.

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**DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR PERMISSION TO BRING AND USE ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT AT THE DECEMBER 21, 2018 PRETRIAL CONFERENCE**

Defendants BuzzFeed, Inc. and Ben Smith respectfully request, pursuant to Administrative Order 2018-79, that the court enter an order authorizing Defendants' counsel of record, including counsel appearing pro hac vice, attorney Alice Christine Ferot, and paralegal Jane Hill Quinn, to bring in the courthouse and the courtroom their laptop computers, cellular telephones, iPads, hard drives and associated accessories during the December 21, 2018 pretrial conference. In support of the instant Motion, Defendants state as follows:

1. During the pretrial conference, Defendants' counsel may have to argue numerous issues raised in the parties' respective motions for summary judgment, Daubert motions, motions in limine and any other motion currently pending before this Court.
2. For purposes of document management, the Defendants' counsel and paralegal need access to electronic copies of said motions, as well as court filings and trial exhibits.

3. Plaintiffs' counsel do not object to the relief requested.

A proposed Order is attached as Exhibit A.

Wherefore, Defendants respectfully request permission to bring the above-stated electronic equipment into the courthouse and the courtroom.

Dated: December 17, 2018

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I CERTIFY that the foregoing was served this 17<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2018, to all persons listed below via email.

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# EXHIBIT A

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**ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR PERMISSION  
TO BRING AND USE ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT  
AT THE DECEMBER 21, 2018 PRETRIAL CONFERENCE**

THIS CAUSE is before the Court upon Defendants' Motion for Permission to Bring Electronic Equipment at the December 21, 2018 Pretrial Conference. D.E. 380.

It is ORDERED and ADJUDGED:

1. Defendants' motion is granted.
2. Defendants' counsel of record, including counsel appearing pro hac vice, attorney Alice Christine Ferot, and paralegal Jane Hill Quinn, shall be allowed to bring into the courthouse and the courtroom their laptop computers, cellular telephones, iPads, hard drives and the accessories to these electronic devices.

DONE AND ORDERED at Miami, Florida, this \_\_\_\_ day of December, 2018.

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URSULA UNGARO  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Copies furnished to:

*John J. O'Sullivan, United States Magistrate Judge  
Counsel of Record*